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SUBJECT: GUARDIAN CRITICISM OF UK AID TO BANGLADESH

1. ARTICLE ON EDITORIAL PAGE OF GUARDIAN OF DEC. 20 BY
SIMON WINCHESTER, REPORTING FROM DACCA, CRITICIZES
UK AID TO BANGLADESH ON GROUNDS THAT IT INCLUDES
PROJECTS TO HELP SUPPORT REPRESSIVE DICTATORSHIP.
ARTICLE, (POUCHED TO DACCA AND NEA/PAB) SPECIFIES
RADIO COMMUNICATIONS PROGRAM FOR POLICE, CONTRIBUTION
OF BRITISH OFFICERS INCLUDING SAS COLONEL TO ARMED
FORCES STAFF COLLEGE, AND SECURITY ROAD INTO CHITTAGONG
HILL TRACTS. ARTICLE CONTENDS THESE PROJECTS REFLECT
EMPHASIS ON LAW AND ORDER RATHER THAN HELPING THE POOR.

2. COMMENT: SUCH CRITICISM OF UK AID PROGRAMS IN THE
SUB-CONTINENT IS UNUSUAL IN THE QUALITY PRESS. IT
MAY BE OF SOME INTEREST BECAUSE OF PRIME MINISTER
CALLAGHAN'S VISIT TO BANGLADESH NEXT MONTH.

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